

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: EAGR, ETRD, EEC

SUBJECT: KISSINGER-SOAMES LETTER ON OILSEEDS TAX

REF: STATE 173290

1. SIR CHRISTOPHER SOAMES CALLED ME LATE JULY 14 TO ASK THAT SECRETARY BE INFORMED AS FOLLOWS:

2. HE WOULD NOT NOW BE PROVIDING WRITTEN REPLY BUT SECRETARY SHOULD KNOW MESSAGE WAS RECEIVED AND UNDERSTOOD. SOAMES' VIEWS REMAIN AS EXPRESSED TO ME JULY 13 (EC BRUSSELS 6904). HE APPRECIATED TONE SECRETARY'S LETTER AND INDICATED HE STILL THOUGHT OUR EARLIER STATEMENTS WERE OVERREACTING. HE AND HIS FRIENDS ARE AT WORK AND HE BELIEVES TIME IS AVAILABLE TO WORK MATTERS OUT SATISFACTORILY. HINTON

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